

FISCAL NOTE

SB 31

January 24, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Increases payment to sequestered juror from \$10 to \$30 per day.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures – Exceeds \$70,000 *

Assumptions:

- At least 70 juries are sequestered statewide each year.
- An average of four days per sequestered jury.
- An average of 14 individuals per jury.
- A payment increase of \$20 per day.

**Article II, Section 24 of the Tennessee Constitution provides that: no law of general application shall impose increased expenditure requirements on cities or counties unless the General Assembly shall provide that the state share in the cost.*

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director